

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

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No: 24-2921

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State of Arkansas; State of Missouri; State of Iowa; State of Nebraska; State of North Dakota;  
State of South Dakota; A.F., a minor, by Sara Ford, her mother

Plaintiffs - Appellees

v.

United States Department of Education; Miguel Cardona, in his official capacity as Secretary of  
the United States Department of Education; Catherine E. Lhamon, in her official capacity as  
Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights at the United States Department of Education; Randolph  
Wills, in his official capacity as Deputy Assistant Secretary for Enforcement at the United States  
Department of Education

Defendants - Appellants

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State of California; State of New Jersey; State of Colorado; State of Connecticut; State of  
Delaware; District of Columbia; State of Hawaii; State of Illinois; State of Maine; State of  
Maryland; State of Massachusetts; State of Michigan; State of Minnesota; State of Nevada; State  
of New York; State of Oregon; State of Pennsylvania; State of Rhode Island; State of Vermont;  
State of Washington; National Women's Law Center; Bend the Arc: A Jewish Partnership for  
Justice; Clearinghouse on Women's Issues; Collective Power for Reproductive Justice; Desiree  
Alliance; Education Law Center Pennsylvania; Equality California; If/When/How: Lawyering  
for Reproductive Justice; National Association of Social Workers; National Network To End  
Domestic Violence; National Organization for Women Foundation; National Women's Political  
Caucus; People for the American Way Foundation; Planned Parenthood; Public Counsel;  
Reproaction; SisterLove, Inc.; Stop Sexual Assault in Schools; The Trevor Project, Inc.; The  
Womxn Project; Tom Homann LGBTQ+ Law Association; Women's Law Project; Women's Bar  
Association of the District of Columbia; Justice + Joy National Collaborative; Mommies in the  
D; Generation Hope; U.S. Breastfeeding Committee; National Nurse-Led Care Consortium

Amici on Behalf of Appellant(s)

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Appeal from U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri - St. Louis  
(4:24-cv-00636-RWS)

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**JUDGMENT**

The parties have filed a joint stipulation for dismissal. The appeal is hereby dismissed in  
accordance with the [Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure](#) 42(b).

The Court's mandate shall issue forthwith.

March 14, 2025

Order Entered Under Rule 27A(a):  
Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

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/s/ Susan E. Bindler